



VERMONT STATE LABOR COUNCIL, AFL-CIO

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2019 CROSS/ATKINS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Greeting Brothers and Sisters:

The Vermont State Labor Council (AFL-CIO) announces the Cross/Atkins Scholarship competition for 2019. Entries are encouraged from any Vermont student who is a dependent child of a union member of a union affiliated with the Vermont State Labor Council (AFL-CIO).

Two scholarships will be awarded. One to a college student enrolled as of September 2019, as a freshman or sophomore, and one to a high school student enrolled as a junior or senior in any accredited institution of higher education.

We expect to receive more applicants this year, college students will be allowed to apply for this scholarship. Because of this, we hope you will be generous when making your contribution.

Applications must be received by email to vslocfl@sover.net or mail by Friday, March 15th. The applicant will then receive the essay questions which must be completed and returned by Friday, April 26th. Winners will be announced by the end of May.

We sincerely hope that your organization will see fit to make a generous contribution to the Scholarship Fund.

Checks should be made payable to - VT AFL-CIO Scholarship Fund.

Please mail your contributions to: VT AFL-CIO
P.O. Box 858
Montpelier, VT 05601-0858

The awards will be based on the results of an open book essay exam to be administered during the month of April 2019. Questions will deal with Labor Issues and Current Events.

TO BE ELIGIBLE:

1. One of their parents or legal guardian **MUST** be a member of a Local Union affiliated with the VT AFL-CIO.
2. They **MUST** be a graduating High School Senior or Fulltime Matriculated College Student.
3. They **MUST** be eligible to be claimed as a dependent on their parents or legal guardian's income tax return.
4. They **MUST** be planning to attend an accredited institution of higher education.

THE DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS IS FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 2019

An application form is included with this letter. You may make as many copies of the form as you need. For additional copies, or if you have any questions, call Dennis LaBounty at our Montpelier office: 802-223-5229.

We thank you for your past support, and sincerely hope that we can count on you again this year.

In Unity,
Jill Charbonneau, President

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2019 CROSS/ATKINS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

High School/College: _____

Name of parent, Union name and number to which your parent belongs to:

Name: _____

Union Local Name and Number: _____

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3. You **MUST** be planning to attend an accredited institution of higher education.

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**Return Application to: Vermont AFL-CIO
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